

FIG. 1 is a schematic diagram of a network system for distributing virus definitions. The system includes an Internet 38, an Antivirus Server 36, a LAN 30, a Server 34, an Antivirus Database 40, and three User Computers 22. Each User Computer 22 is connected to the LAN 30 and has its own Antivirus Database 42a, 42b, or 42c. The Antivirus Server 36 is connected to the Internet 38 and the LAN 30. The Server 34 is connected to the LAN 30 and the Antivirus Database 40.

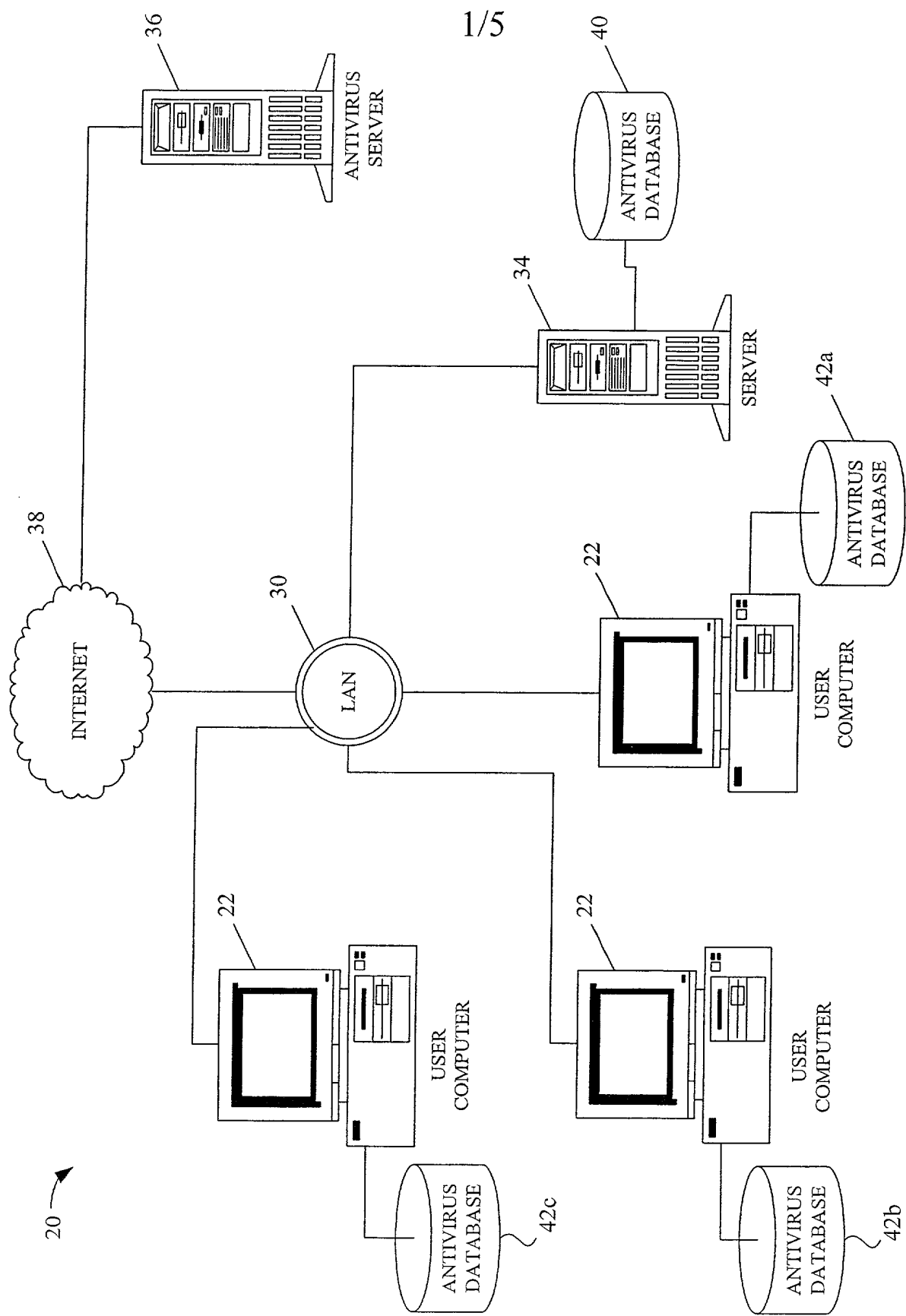


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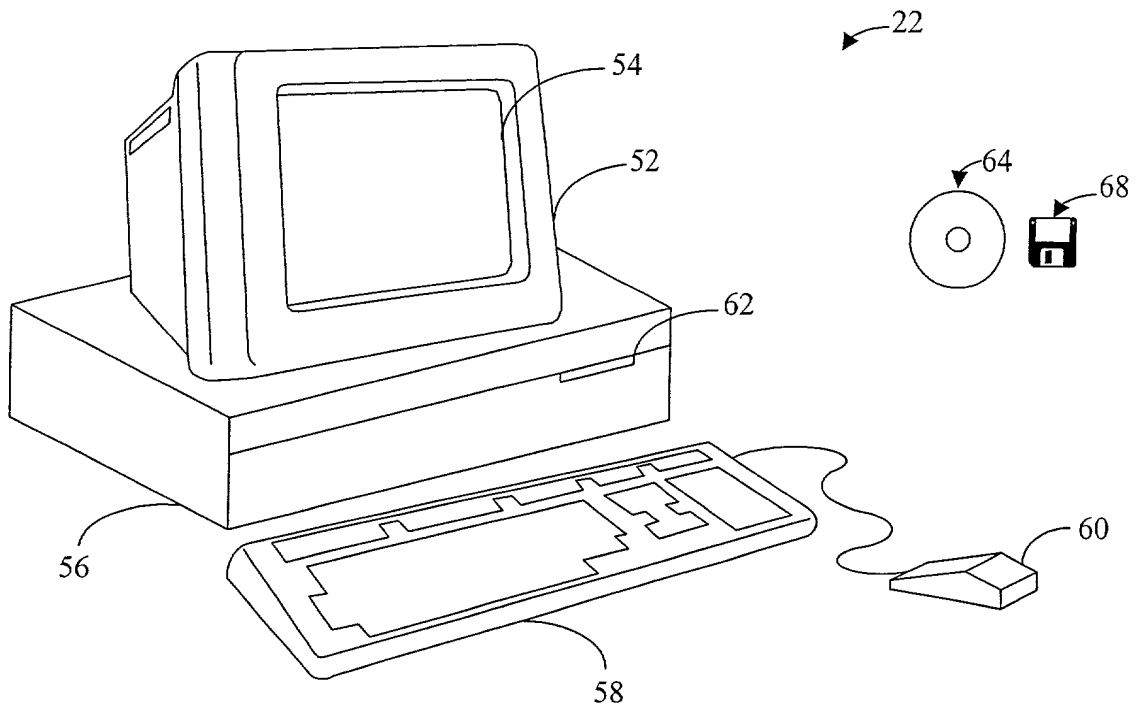


FIG. 2

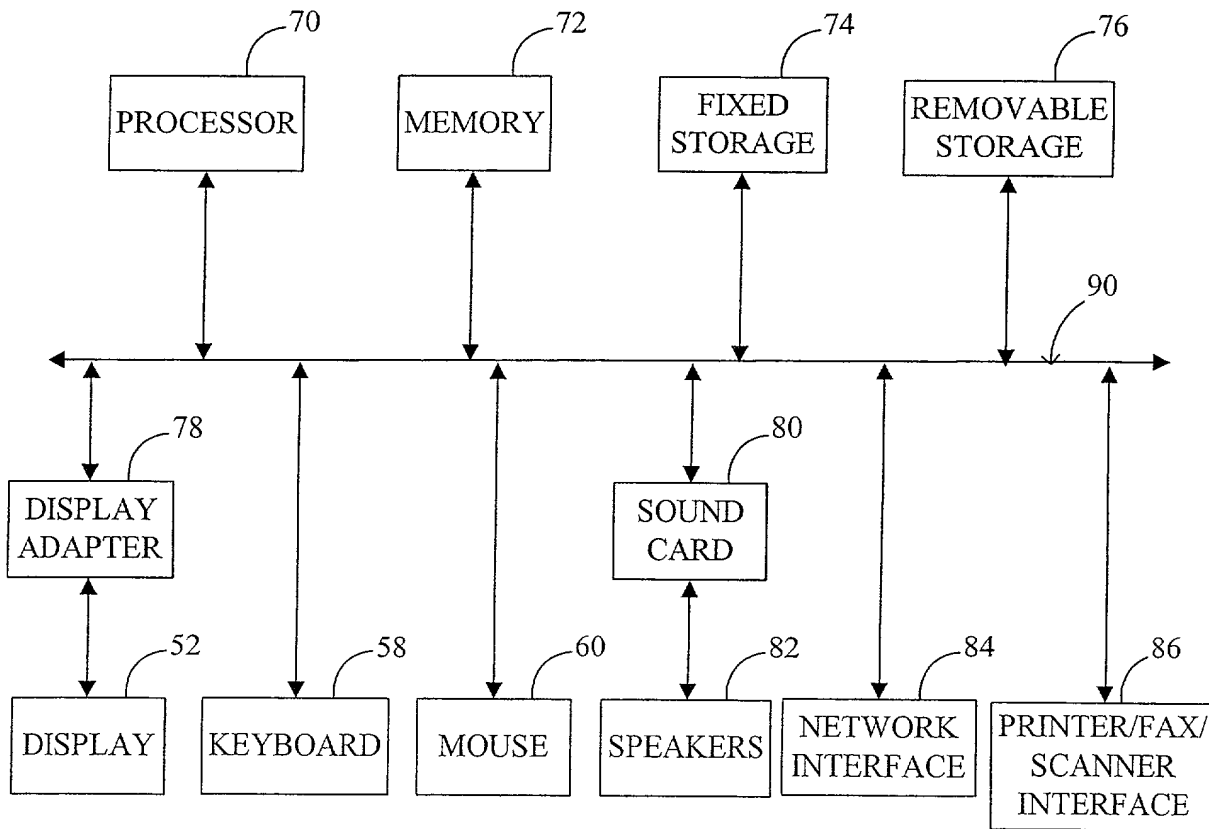


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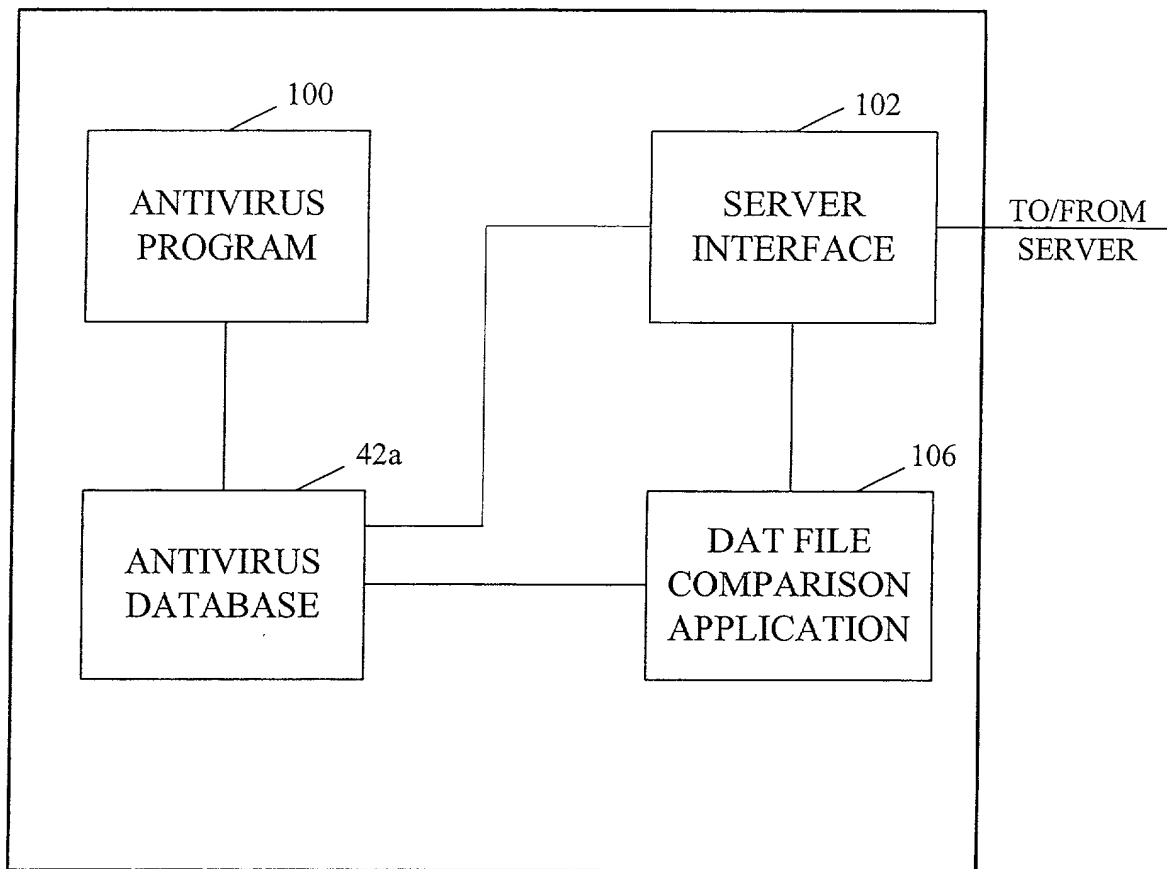



FIG. 4

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FILES	DATE UPDATED	TIME UPDATED	DAT VERSION
Antivirus_Application.exe	6/18/01	1:00 pm	N/A
VIRUS_SIGNATURES.DAT	6/18/01	1:00 pm	4143
NEW_VIRUS.DAT	6/20/01	3:00 pm	N/A

Fig. 5

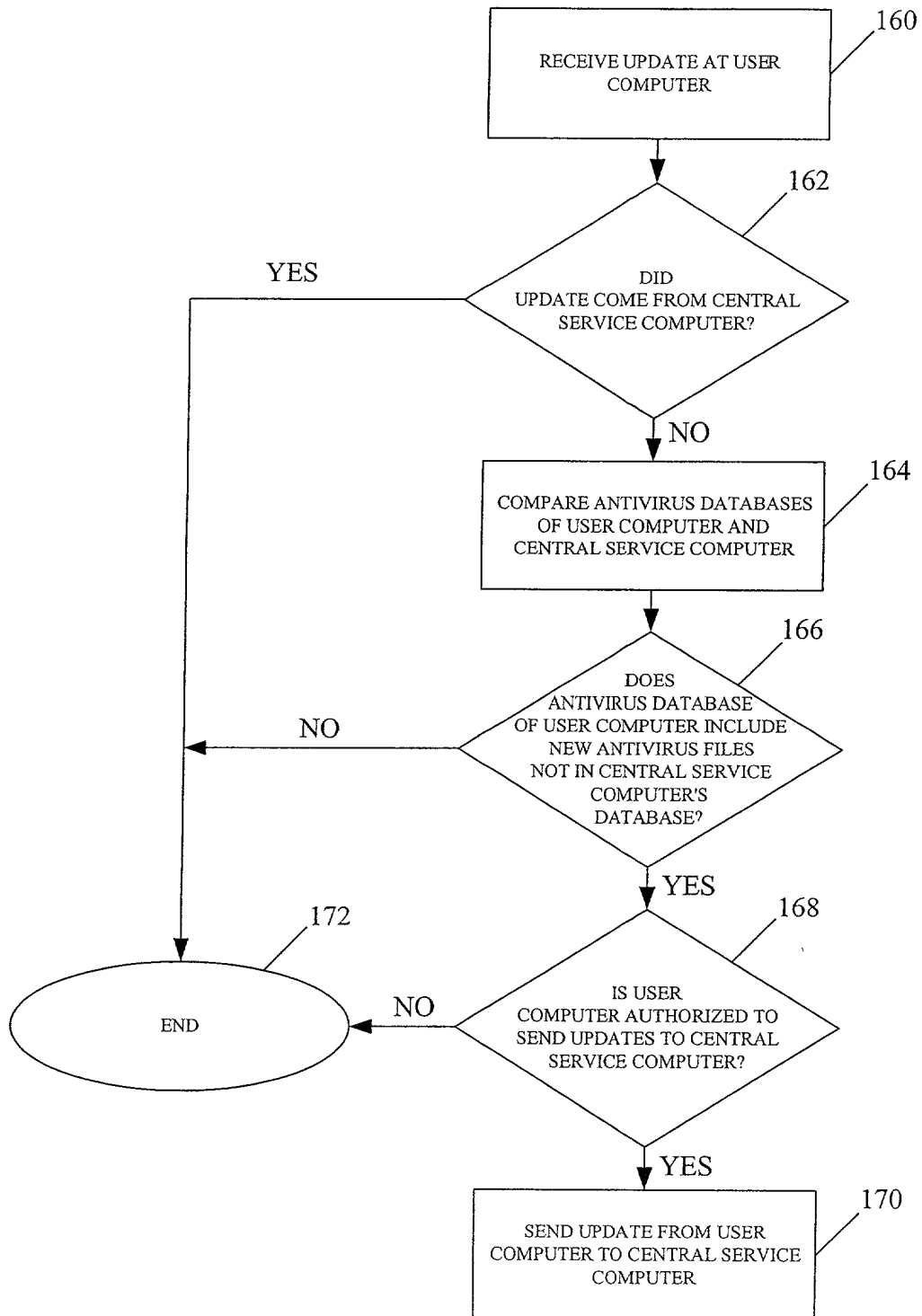


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